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Memorial Hall For The Legion Planned By Citizens

A meeting of the citizens of Gleichen and district was held in the Community Hall on Friday, October 26th, to discuss plans for some form of a memorial that would express their appreciation and gratitude to those of our young men and women who enlisted and served in World War II, in order that the democratic people of the world might continue to enjoy those forms of freedom for which our fore-fathers, for generations have fought and died for.

It was unanimously agreed that this could best be done by aiding the Gleichen branch of the Legion in repairing, adding addition to and furnishing the Oddfellows building, which has been donated by the town to the Legion so that when the boys come back they will have a home in which to meet and discuss their problems.

During the war we heard a great deal of the new order that was to result from the war and the economic security and freedom that would be the reward of our heroes when they returned. The war has been won but the new order that would win the peace is as much a myth as ever..

If our returned men leave their future in the hands of politicans the results will be similar to those following the last war—they could not be worse. Our returned men will get only what they fight for and success will depend on the strength of their organization of which this Gleichen unit forms a part. They won the war for us. We failed them in that we did not win the peace and now it is up to all of us to get behind them and help clean up the job at home because anything they do to better their own conditions also helps the rest of us.

On Wednesday, October 31, a committe of four met a committee from the Legion offering their co-operation in aiding in the financing of their new hall. It was estmated the cost of the repairs, addition and furnishings would be about $10,000 and it was decided to make a canvas of the district for this sum,

A public meeting has been arranged to be held in the Gleichen Community Hall on Monday, November 19th, when the committee will make its report and plans for the building will be shown and explained and arrangements made for a drive for funds,

While this may seem a large sum to ask for it is a mere trifle when we consider that because our boys were willing to fight and risk their lives for us we who manned the home front have enjoyed a greater period of prosperity than we ever had before, and because they won the war we will be able to keep what we have. So when the canvassers call on us for contributions let us be generous. They did not let us down over there—we can't let them down when they come home.

At th public meeting on Monday, November 19th, the guest speaker will be Capt. H. Prowse M.L.A. for the Armed Forces or Flt. Com. F. C. Colborne, M.L.A., for the Air Force.

Keep November 19th an open date and show the boys you appreciate what they have done by attending this meeting

Sixty Years Of Progress By C.P.R.

The sleek trains comfortable hotels and ocean steamships which today make the Canadian Pacific a name known throughout the world in the field of transportation,, are developments far beyond the visions of those forward-looking men who on November 7, 1885, drove the "Last Spike' in Canada's first transcontintental railway line,

The C.P.R. has always had an eye to the future. Research on company equipment has aimed towards providing the utmost in travel comfort. Right now, for instance, the Canadian Pacific has ready on its drawing boards many innovations for passenger coaches, freight cars and motive power some already "test-runned" in cars rebuilt and engines delivered during the war.

They are to be built when material shortages are a thing of the past. So it will be that peace-time travellers will find enclosed sleeping accomodation with folding beds wider windows, indirect lighting, new designs for interiors and exteriors which carry out the modern trend.

Going back to that "Last Spike" ceremony at Craigellachie in the Canadian Rockies, it brought to life a dream cherished by Canada's builders, among them Sir John A. Macdonald, who foresaw that the straining bonds of Confederation could not hold without some empire- building agency such as the C.P.R. proved to be.

In the intervening 60 years, packed with history as they have been, trackage has lengthened from the 4,325 miles which made up the first "main line" to more than 20,000.

Ships carrying the red and white Canadian Pacific house flag have touched every ocean port round the world, and have served the Great Lakes, Bay of Fundy and British Columbia costal waters. A chain of eight hotels, including the Empire's largest, the Royal York in Toronto, provide the utmost in service in cities from coast to coast, supplemented by beautiful summer hotels running from The Pines and the Algonquin Hotel in the Maritimes to Banff Springs Hotel and Chateau Lake Louise in the Rockies.

In two world wars the Canadian Pacific's transportation service, its communication lines, and the facilities of its shops, have supported victory's cause. Since 1939 Canadian Pacific steamships' two ocean fleet has been serving the Admiralty with 11 ships victims of enemy action for the greatest loss of any steamship company, while its air lines made history by pioneering the "Atlantic Ferry" to fly vitally needed bombers to England.

The ringing blow which drove home the "Last Spike 60 years ago sounded the beginning of a new era in transportation. Canadian Pacific's progress through those wood burning, gas-lit years to its status of today assures its leadership in peace time tomorrows as the world's greatest travel sytem.

Victory Loan

The progress in the drive for subscriptions for the Ninth Victory Loan in this area has been slow. Up to yesterday the amount of subscriptions received amounted only to 57 percent of the quota. Owing to the storm Monday and cold weather since the drive has slowed up some what. If we are to reach our quota of $100,000 by the end of the week the public will have to come forward a good deal faster than they have during the past couple of weeks.

Lags here and there, due to nature's frowns, were mere flecks on the picture of rural progress across Canada as the Ninth Victory loan campaign entered its final week.

A number of Alberta units were over the top before the second week had ended and 12 of them were non city units. The outh keeps a shade ahead of the north, but both are confident that the over-all provincial objective will be attained.

Rural units in British Columbia are reportedly running considerably behind their urban competitors. In most farming communities, canvassing is slower owing to several days of bad weather early in the campaign. Almost all farming communities show slightly fewer applications than at this point in the Eight Loan, but farmers are heeding the two-in-one appeal fairly well.

WEDDING BELLS

HOLLAND-FERGUSON

A very pretty wedding was solemnised at the Anglican Church in Gleichen Nov. 5th, when Gladys Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ferguson, became the bride of Joseph Edward Holland, son of Mrs. N. A. Riddell, The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. A. Ford. The bride escorted by her father wore a turquoise blue gown trimmed with sequins and carried a bouquet of deep red roses.

Miss Dela Hunter was bridesmaid. She wore a gown of sequin trim fucia and a bouquet of yellow mums. Mr. Jack Wilson was groomsman and the guests were ushered by Mr. Edward Ferguson. During the signing of the register wedding music was played by Mrs. Sutermeister.

More than forty guests attended the reception held at the bride's home where the bridal party received the guests. Flowers, white and blue streamer with white bells decorated the dinning room and tables The bride's table was decorated with a three-tiered wedding cake. Toasts were proposed and responded to.

After the reception all joined around the piano in a sing song ending with "They Are Jolly Good Fellows" and three cheers.

Mr. and Mrs. Holland left on the evening train for Calgary, Vancouver and other places. For travelling the bride changed to a grey ensemble with black hat and veil and accessories to match and a corsage of red roses. Upon their return to Gleichen they will reside on their farm five miles west of town.

Tex Cassidy Buys Shoe And Harness Stock Of J. Littke

Julius Littke has sold his harness and shoe repair stock and building to R. S. McQueen, Mr. McQueen has since sold the stock to Tex Cassidy who will now carry on the business.

Mr. Littke came to Gleichen in April 1905 and for some years worked for T. H. Beach, before moving to the coast where he lived for a time. He returned to Gleichen over 19 years ago and started in business for him self at Arrowwood later moving to Gleichen. He made a success of the business and the same day he sold out he sold his farm west of town also a lot of his household effects.

Julius is retiring and will still continue to make his home in Gleichen.

Remembrance Day Service In The Community Hall

On Remembrance Day, Sunday, November 11th, services will be conducted by Rev. D. A. Ford, B.A., in the Community Hall commencing at 10:15 a.m. sharp. Everybody is cordialy invited to attend,

ARMISTICE DAY 1945

On Novbemer 11 we are observing Armistice Day . . . the end of World War I. And thus, in a year of victory we are remembering another year of victory.

But we will be rememberng November 11, 1918, not with happiness, but with solemnity. Many of us will recall vividly the wild celebrations that took place on that 1918 day . . . the flag waving the shouting, the sound of automobile horns, and the crowds of happy people.

For we thought, in our optimism and our innocence, that we were sounding the death knell of wars, and that the spectre would never rise again in our time. But it did rise, and we had not the moral conviction, perhaps, or the foresight, to slay it before it could get completely out of hand.

But we have learned, from 1939 to 1945, something new. World War II taught us that the follies of peace are the follies that lead to destruction. In World War I we thought that once the war would be over it would be over.

In World War II we fought with our eyes to the future. Even while the battles were raging we did not lose sight of the fact that once victory was won we would have to knuckle down and pay for it with vigilance and wisdom.

It is hoped that all are keeping that lesson in mind.

Madam Chaing Kai-shek voiced some thoughts on this very thing in her V-J Day Victory Message. We think they bear repeating at this time.

Here they are!

"But what of tomorrow? We must do our utmost through practical measures to assist the maimed, the wounded and the displaced. And out of the destruction and desolation of this battle-scarred and broken world around us we must build a future as to justify the suffering and loss of life which this war has brought. Out of this soul-searing experience we must learn that omission to prevent war is just as culpable and disastrous in the end as commission to foster war in the beginning. Only in this way can we even repay in a measure the debt of life that we owe to those who have died."

These are the thoughts we are thinking as we observe the anniversary of the end of World War I. May we never have a World War III. And this will have to be more than just a pious wish. It will be something we will have to work hard to prevent.

Mr. and Mrs. G. House Celebrate Their Golden Wedding

On Friday evening a large number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. House met in the Arrowwood Hall to honor them on their 50th wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in singing and games. Mr. Robert Hill on behalf of the assembled people with a beautiful dinner set, and at the same time told some humerous stories of Mr. House's experiences in the early days when he first came to the district. In one of the stories Mr. House built his home in the winter time and when spring came he found the house was erected in the middle of the road allowance. After a splendid lunch and just before leaving all wished Mr. and Mrs. House many more years of happy married life.

FARM MACHINERY OFF RATION LIST

All rationing controls have been removed from sales of farm machinery, and restrictions on the production or importation of such machinery have been lifted.

Price controls remain. Generally, maximum price for farm implements is the price at which such items sold during the basic period, August 15—September 11, 1941. Quoted prices do not include cost of delivery to the purchaser.

Under Consumers' Credit Order No. 225, section 10, terms of sale for farm machinery are: 1/3 of quoted price paid in cash; the balance of the credit price to be paid within two years of the date of the contract in stated amounts at specified dates. Any allowance for a trade-in is to be deducted from the unpaid balance.

Despite the lifting of production restrictions, it is expected that the shortage of components such as malleable castings and sheet steel will limit the maximum output of farm implements during the year July 1, 1945, to June 30, 1946, to a 24% increase (on tonnage basis) over the output in the preceding 12 months.

Farmers' Poultry Prices

Farmers selling all types of poultry, except turkeys, direct to consumers are permitted a 25% markup over the wholesale ceiling prices established for the zone in which they are located. Turkey producers are allowed a 20% markup over the wholesale level.

Potato Storage Allowance

(Order A-1560 now in effect)

A storage allowance of 5c per 75-lb. bag of potatoes and 7c per 100-lb. bag is allowed on November 1. Another 5c per 75-lb. bag and 6c per 100-lb. bag may be added on December 1, and another 5c per 75-lb. bag and 7c per 100-lb. bag on January 1, 1946. There will be no storage adjustment for February but monthly increases will be resumed on March 1.

FARMERS' RATION COUPONS

Coupons covering farmer sales or farm household consumption of meat and butter, and sales of preserves must be forwarded to Local Ration Boards in primary producers' envelopes (RB-61). Reports for November should reach the Local Ration Boards not later than December 10.

Following are the valid coupon dates for November:

	MEAT	BUTTER	SUGAR	PRESERVES
November 1......	M 9	128	..	..
" 8......	M 10	..	..	..
" 15......	M 11	129	66, 67	P 20, 21
" 22......	M 12	130	..	..
" 29......	M 13	131	..	..

Farmers are required to send in "M" coupons to the Local Ration Board for meat they consume, and meat they sell to farmer neighbours at the rate of 4 lbs. per coupon. Farmers who slaughter meat need not turn in at the end of the month more than half the valid meat coupons in the ration books of their household. Farmers who purchase meat from other farmers must surrender to the selling farmer one meat coupon for every 4 lbs. of meat purchased, even if this means surrendering coupons not yet valid.

FARM SLAUGHTERERS

Farmers who slaughter for their own household consumption or for the consumption of their farmer neighbours, are not required to hold a slaughter permit. Any excess of farm slaughtered meat over the farmer's or his neighbour's needs may be sold only to the holder of a regular slaughter permit in quantities not less than a quarter of Beef or a side of Pork. Sheep, lamb or calves slaughtered by the farmer for his own or his neighbours' use may not be sold into the meat trade.

Licensed slaughterer's quotas for cattle have been temporarily suspended and until further notice a licensed slaughterer may slaughter all the cattle needed for his requirements.

Rationing is your assurance of a fair share:
is a protection against waste... shortages... inflation:
That is why farmers are asked to *continue to collect and turn in* coupons to their Local Ration Boards—once a month—in the RB-61 envelope.

For further information apply to the nearest office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

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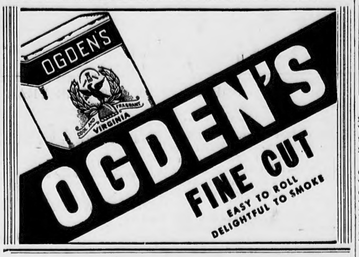

The Housing Problem

HOUSING IS REGARDED as Canada's greatest post-war problem. Congestion and lack of living accommodation is felt most severely in the large cities, but there is almost no community which has not been affected by the serious housing shortage which has developed here since 1939. It is estimated that by the end of the calendar year following VE-Day, 50,000 new dwellings will have been completed, but it has been necessary to plan a considerably larger program to meet the need for houses in the following years. In addition to the need for new homes, there is much repair work to be done on dwellings and buildings, since labour and material for normal maintainence has been unavailable during the war. Hon. J. L. Ilsley, Minister of Finance, recently told Parliament that Canada is on the verge of a very large, and possibly an unprecedentedly large housing program, and such a program will no doubt affect many of our post-war problems, through the demand it will create for labour, raw materials and other essential supplies.

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Vast Program In Britain

While the housing problem here is extremely serious, in Great Britain the situation is considerably more grave. That country was already facing a shortage of living accommodation in 1939, and during the war years this condition was greatly aggravated, since no new construction was possible, and in addition, many millions of homes were destroyed by enemy bombs. It is estimated that in the London area alone, almost two million houses were destroyed or damaged and that of these, forty-two thousand were totally demolished, and that in spite of an intensive drive to repair those houses which were only partially destroyed, it was reported that there are still seven hundred thousand damaged houses in the London area. Similar conditions exist in many other parts of Britain, and the government there has undertaken a vast building and town-planning enterprise as part of its reconstruction program.

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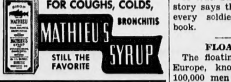
Provides Work For Veterans

In re-building its homes and communities, the British Government is endeavoring to improve living conditions for the people, and to create planned communities. In all parts of the country this "planned reconstruction" is taking place, and the British Minister of Labour and National Service, Mr. Isaacs, stated recently that by next June, approximately eleven hundred and twenty thousand men will be employed in the building and civil engineering industry. The houses and buildings to be constructed will be based on the latest scientific knowledge, since systematic building research has been carried on for some years, in anticipation of this time. This research has revealed many new facts concerning building materials, pre-fabricated homes, equipment, and other important factors. A program for training many thousands of ex-service men for construction work has also been commenced, and in addition to alleviating the housing shortage, Britain's plans for re-building are also aimed at providing long-term employment on a large scale. We in Canada may watch with interest, the progress of this vast undertaking.

THE MODERN VIEW

A boy pupil at a school in Adelaide, Australia, was asked who Sir Francis Drake was, put up his hand and said: "Please, Miss, Donald Duck's father."

HEMORRHOIDS
2 Special Remedies
by the Makers of Mecca Ointment
Mecca Pile Remedy No. 1 is for Protruding Bleeding Piles, and is sold in Tube, with pipe, for internal application. Price 75c. Mecca Pile Remedy No. 2 is for External Itching Piles. Sold in Jar, and is for external use only. Price 50c. Order by number from your Druggist.



ITCH CHECKED *in a Jiffy* -or Money Back
For quick relief from itching caused by eczema, athlete's foot, scabies, pimples and other itching conditions, use pure, cooling, medicated, liquid **D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION.** Greaseless and stainless. Soothes, comforts and quickly calms intense itching. Don't suffer. Ask your druggist today for **D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION.**

Under Regulations

Young Captain Found Army Official Too Smart For Him

A young lieutenant, promoted captain, noticed that the date of his promotion as it appeared in the London Gazette was April 1, 1041, instead of 1941.

Egged on by his friends in the mess, he applied to the paymaster for allowances dating back to the year 1041.

Weeks later he received this reply: "Your application . . . has been found to be in order under King's Regulations and your account accordingly has been credited with the sum of £39,999 ($179,937). . . .

"Your letter proves conclusively that you are the sole officer surviving from the Battle of Hastings, where 20,000 horses of an estimated value of £2 ($9) each, were lost by negligence.

"Under King's Regulations the responsibility for payment of £40,000 therefore falls upon you. I have accordingly adjusted your account to the extent of a net debit of £1."

A War Office official who told this story says there is a moral in it for every soldier—you can't beat the book.

FLOATING HARBOR

The floating harbor that liberated Europe, known as Mulberry, took 100,000 men seven months to build. Telescopic roadways 80 feet long were a remarkable feature of Mulberry, the prefabricated Allied harbor used in D-Day. They adjusted themselves flexibly to the wage action in the Channel. There were 23 pier-heads used, each 200 feet long, and each weighing approximately 1,000 tons.

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Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—My husband will be returning from overseas within the next week. Will I receive rations for him for the thirty days he will be home before he is discharged from the army.

A.—Servicemen on their pre-demobilization leave will be presented with a combination priority suit purchase and ration book certificate, which means that those on discharge leave may apply immediately, either in person or by mail, to their nearest local ration board or ration branch, for a permanent ration book.

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Q.—My I purchase a long evening dress?

A.—Restrictions on the manufacture of wedding gowns, dinner and evening dresses and evening skirts have been removed, and you may now buy a long gown if you wish.

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Q.—I am a farmer and slaughter for my own use only. Do I have to report this to the Wartime Prices and Trade Board?

A.—Yes, you must register with your nearest local ration board, and send in coupons to the local ration board to cover the amount of meat you use at the rate of four pounds carcass weight per coupon.

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Q.—How can I obtain the price ceiling for a car I wish to sell?

A.—Get in touch with the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office and they will give you the price ceiling.

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Please send your questions or or your request for the pamphlets "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices, mentioning the name of the paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

RED CROSS SHIPMENTS

Twenty-one countries received 578,082 Canadian Red Cross cases of supplies and relief goods in the first nine months of 1945. About 230 ships had been used in transporting the goods, only 12 less than for the whole of 1944.

Indians In Canada

Census Taken Last Year Shows Population Not On Decline

Contrary to popular belief, Canada's Indian population is not on the decline.

Hon. J. A. Glen, Minister in charge of Indian Affairs, has announced that the Indian population is 125,666 and is increasing at the rate of 1,500 per year. Living in the prairie provinces are 42,532 Indians.

The minister said that according to a census taken in 1944, 15,933 Indians were residing in Manitoba; 14,158 in Saskatchewan, and 12,441 in Alberta.

The distribution through the other provinces is—British Columbia 25,515; Ontario 32,421; Quebec 15,194; New Brunswick 2,074; Nova Scotia 2,364; Prince Edward Island 266; Yukon 1,531; Northwest Territories 3,816.

There are 7,658 Indians over the age of 65, while there are approximately 5,000 over 70.

The Indians have 5,500,000 acres of land of their own, and a number of the reserves contain the best agricultural land in Canada, however there is a comparatively small acreage under cultivation. In 1944 land under cultivation amounted to only 189,829 acres.

In addition to the reserve lands owned outright by the Indians, Mr. Glen said the Indian department in recent years leased from provincial governments 35,000,000 acres for the establishment of beaver reserves and the propagation of muskrats.

Doll's Wardrobe

By ANNE ADAMS

If your favorite little girl wants "new clothes for my dolly", start on Pattern 4604, doll wardrobe, to have it ready for Christmas. It has every thing—coat to petticoat.

Pattern 4604 is available for dolls measuring 14, 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24 inches. For yardages, see pattern.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

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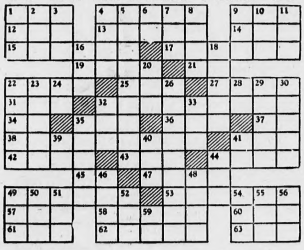
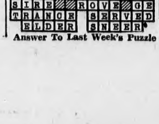
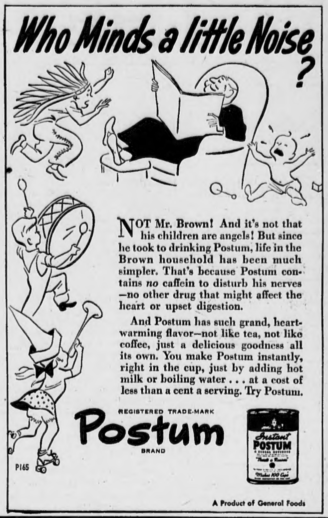


HORIZONTAL
1 To soak
4 To make suitable
9 Earth
12 Hail!
13 Contract
14 Crude metal
15 Hardened portion of the skin
17 To persuade
19 Among
21 Symbol for tellurium
22 To grasp
25 Opening
27 To construct
31 Youth
32 Saintly
34 Preposition
35 Monk
36 Negative
37 Mixed type
38 Unwilling
41 Resort
42 Twelve months
43 Silkworm
44 Large snakes
45 Conjunction
47 Singing voice
49 Perfidious
53 Christian festival
57 To note
58 Spirited
60 Period of time
61 Female sheep
62 Eaten away
63 Chief of the janizaries

VERTICAL
1 Pouch
2 Eggs
3 Swordsman's dummy stake
4 Mineral salt
5 To identify by name
6 Molten lava
7 Greek letter
8 Shelter
9 French coin
10 Grampus
11 English river
16 To drink
18 To resign
20 Ancient pistol
22 Renown
23 Hindu princess
24 European fish
26 Poverty-stricken
28 Symbol for actinium
29 Greek letter
30 Hebrew prophet
32 Part of a circle
33 Parcel of land
35 Rage
39 Note of scale
40 Constellation
41 Therefore
44 Genus of ruminants
46 Slang: a rustic
48 To seize
49 Value
50 Novel
51 Mound
52 To be mistaken
54 Short for "Theodore"
55 Before
56 Beam
59 Butterfly



Answer To Last Week's Puzzle



SMILE AWHILE

"What's that piece of string tied round your finger for, Bill?"

"That's a knot. Forgett-me-not is a flower. With flour you make bread, and with bread you have cheese. This is to remind me to buy some pickled onions."

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Gertie: Thanks for the seat, it was kind of you.

Sailor: "Not at all. I know some men who give their seats to pretty girls only, but looks make no difference to me.

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Editor: Looks like we have another libel suit on our hands.

Lawyer: What is it this time?

Editor: We printed in old Brown's obituary that he'd gone to a happier home, and Mrs. Brown is suing.

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Johnny (at zoo): "Isn't that monkey just like Uncle James?"

Mother: "Don't be so rude."

Johnny: "But the monkey didn't hear."

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"Do you know that your wife is going about telling everybody that you can't keep her in clothes?"

"That's nothing. I bought her a home and I can't keep her in that either."

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"I don't like the look of that halibut," said the lady customer.

"Lady," asked the market man, "if it's looks you're after, why not buy gold fish?"

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Auntie: "How did Jimmy get on in his history exam?"

Mother: "Not very well, but it wasn't his fault. They asked him things that happened before the poor boy was born."

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"When I took Brown's lawn mower back, he swore at me over that missing screw."

"We can't have that sort of thing, dear, you must borrow the vicar's next time."

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Butcher: Here, madame, is a nice ham, home-cured.

Mrs. Freshwed: But I want one that has never been ill.

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Young Man: How about some old-fashioned loving?

Sweet Young Thing: All right. I'll call grandmother down for you.

It takes three dozen fresh shell eggs to make a pound of whole egg powder.

Most Despicable

The Deliberate Use Of Children In Crime A Vicious Practice

Nothing could be more despicable than the deliberate use of children in crime. It is quite possible for those who are sufficiently depraved in conscience to pervert and lead astray the minds of children by the promise of reward.

The instigators in such cases, of course, would see to it that the children received very little. That would not be the real wrong and the real injustice. The wrong would be in twisting the minds of the very young so that they would look upon crime with tolerance and be ready to engage in it.

Such children, because of the greed and cupidity of those older, are liable to become criminals for life. Let us hope that wherever such a situation presents itself the arm of the law will reach out to punish the guilty and protect the weak.—Fort William Times-Journal.

GIFT FOR CATHEDRAL

A battle-worn white ensign which flew at the mainmast of H.M.S. Warspite during the Battle of Matapan and the red ensign flown by the Queen Elizabeth on her wartime voyages have been presented to St. Giles cathedral.

Easy Way to Treat Sore, Painful Piles

Here is the chance for every person in Canada suffering from sore, itching, painful piles to try a simple home remedy with the promise of a reliable firm to refund the cost of the treatment if you are not satisfied with the results.

Simply go to any druggist and get a bottle of Hem-Roid and use as directed. Hem-Roid is an internal treatment, easy and pleasant to use and pleasing results are quickly noticed. Itching and soreness are relieved, pain subsides and as the treatment is continued the sore, painful pile tumors heal over leaving the rectal membranes clean and healthy. Get a bottle of Hem-Roid today and see for yourself what an easy, pleasant way this is to rid yourself of your pile misery.

NOTE: The sponsor of this notice is a reliable firm, doing business in Canada for over 20 years. If you are troubled with sore, itching, painful piles, Hem-Roid must help you quickly or the small purchase price will be gladly refunded.

When your BACK ACHES...

Backache is often caused by lazy kidney action. When kidneys get out of order excess acids and poisons remain in the system. Then backache, headache, rheumatic pain, disturbed rest or that 'tired out' feeling may soon follow. To help keep your kidneys working properly—use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Time-tested, popular, safe, non-habit-forming. Demand Dodd's Kidney Pills, in the blue box with the red band. Sold everywhere. 135

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

SWEET SORROW

By JEAN CRAIG

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Anthony stood in the summer darkness shrouding Dora's verandah, smoking, tipping his ash into the garden below and watching the sudden red glow as he puffed. "The choice", the movie scout had told him, "lies between you and a girl. I'm offering you the contract first. Do you want it?"

"Want it?" Anthony had almost leaped into the air. "Want it?—man, I've been working for this all my life! I'll say I want it!"

The short, fat man with the Hollywood suit, who had been scouting the Drama Festival of the night before with a movie contract in his hand, smiled quietly. "All right, then, I'll bring the papers around for you to sign tomorrow."

The fat man had shaken hands and left; Anthony had remained behind, still a little dazed from the visit, not quite believing it had happened. That was the trouble when you had dreamed about a thing too long. All through the years of Little Theatre before the war, his concert tours with the Army Show, he had been studying, working, with the legitimate stage or Hollywood at the back of his mind. Now, he thought wryly, he could steal a scene with the best, or worst, of them.

He, Ronald Anthony, in pictures! There had been so many others who had made good. He could do it, too. He could feel that his performances had gone past the stage of being a series of words and tricks, now he knew it was a living, breathing character that walked on the stage.

But—Dora. They had planned to get married next year, as soon as his office job developed into something a little better. They had been the props of the Little Theatre group in their city before the war . . . Doris had had a small part in one of the productions at the Drama Festival the previous evening.

They had both practically given up anything coming of their acting now. Resolved to settle down, treat the theatre only as the fascinating hobby it was. Now what? The agent, Anthony remembered in dismay, had mentioned a contract clause forbidding marriage for three years. They couldn't take chances in building up a young romantic star and then have him spoil their publicity.

Anthony paced nervously up and down the verandah. Three years! That was a long time to wait, especially when she'd waited so many years now. There had never been anyone else through school, through the depression. She had written to him faithfully when he'd been in Italy, England, Holland, but you just couldn't keep a girl hanging around forever on promises.

Maybe he'd gone past the promising young actor stage. What if he went away, became just another bit actor? He was assailed with the old fears of someone else taking Dora which he'd had while overseas. Lord knows why she hadn't married someone else already—there were plenty who wanted her.

He had a raise coming. They could be happily married and settled down to raising a family next year. Why throw away that security for a chance at something? On the other hand, if he didn't go would he be bitter? Would he somehow think that Dora had stood in his way?

He pushed the doorbell three times, the way he always had, and shouted down the hall, "Come on out on the verandah—it's cool."

He heard Dora's heels tapping down the hardwood. It would be polished smooth—Dora kept her house beautifully clean, in between times of earning a living, sending her younger sister through school.

She was wonderful, all right. He felt her come up beside him on the verandah, slip her fingers into his, her face turned up, waiting to be kissed. When he had finished, he was trembling, filled with infinite sadness and fear. Not to know that for years? Not to have her looking up at him like that in the dusk, like a tiny Hawaiian doll? He was in love, that was all there was to it.

"No," he muttered fiercely to himself.

"What did you say, dear?"

"Just muttering," he smiled. He couldnt' tell her, because she would insist on him taking his opportunity. Not stand in his way. His arm tightened around her.

As soon as he left her that night, he phoned the hotel where Jenkins, the agent, was staying.

"Hello—who is it?" asked the scout in a slightly sleepy and peeved tone.

"It's Anthony. I just phoned to tell you I won't be taking the contract."

"What?—don't be a fool!"

"There are different kinds of fools," said Anthony slowly. "I'm sorry—and thanks all the same."

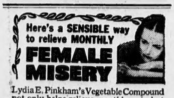
There was a silence at the other end of the line. "All right," said Jenkins. "You know what you're doing."

Anthony went to bed, humming, and feeling happier than he had all day. What if he had turned down his chance? He had made sure of Dora . . . and Dora was the most important thing in his life. He slept soundly, rushed through a busy day at the office and came home next evening feeling alive, like a king.

Dora was waiting for him at his boarding house. For a startled moment he thought there was something wrong, but she threw her arms around his neck, cried, "Oh, darling, I'm so happy! A wonderful thing has happened!" She snuggled close to him. "But I'm going to miss you, dear."

He held her away from him, staring, throat dry.

She waved some papers under his nose. "Look! Isn't it grand? There was a movie scout at the Drama Festival the other night—and he's just signed me to a three year contract!"



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Church Bells

About Ten Thousand Were Confiscated In Poland

According to a report recently sent by V. Myslivec of Prague to the NCWC, about 10,000 bells were confiscated from the Catholic churches in Czechoslovakia by the German authorities during the war.

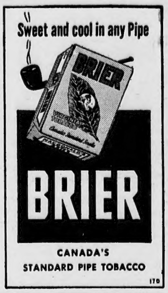
A greater number of these bells cannot be returned as they were used for the production of German guns.

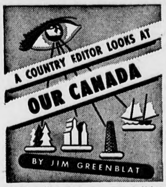
Only a small number was left still in Prague's warehouses. Fortunately, among them are some of the oldest and most valuable.

LONG SERVICE

After completing 60 years in the service of one family, Robert Jacobs, 80, has retired. Mr. Jacobs entered the employ of John M. Gill, Brockville, Ont., in 1885 as a coachman and since Mr. Gill's death he was chauffeur for his son, Col. R. J. Gill.

The average depths of oceans is about 13,000 feet. 2645





✤ Dunville, Ont., has novel things happen: On Sept. 18 last Mr. and Mrs. George Robins celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary, a daughter Mrs. Al Forman her 32nd and her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Long, the fifth, all on same day. . . . At Morden, Man., the firm of Gladstone & Sawatzky changed its name to Sawatzky & Gladstone. . . . Off Port Alberni, B.C., Morris Anderson caught an 8-ft. shark in his net, from which 40 lbs. of liver was taken. . . . The little town of Cabri, Sask., (pop. 435) shipped over 125,000 lbs. of salvage towards the war effort in four years. . . . The Smiths Falls Record News tells that at the home of Mrs. Morrell Perrin of South Elmsley, over a year ago, there was hatched out a queer thing with a duck's body and head, and the feet of a hen, and it is still trottin' around. . . . Always worthy of mention, Mr. and Mrs. George McFarlane of Almonte, Ont., recently celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary. . . . There were ducks galore at McDonald's Lake, Sask., where a farmer threshed 200 bushels of barley. He left it lying in the field, the next day he came to haul it home, and there were only 120 bushels left. They're staunch eaters out west, those ducks.

✤ A saga of womanly initiative and courage. Mrs. Katharine Marston, editor of the Elora, Ont., Herald, awarded the Lorne Eedy trophy for the best editorial page in the smaller weekly newspapers, was widowed four years ago when her farmer-husband died, leaving her with four children. She bought the Herald. Children helped with the housework, while she reported the news and wrote the editorials, and added to the circulation. She deserves every success in life.

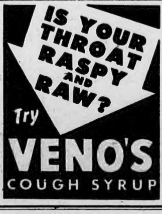
✤ Isn't this cute, from the Leader at Carman, Man.: Why, I heard of a young couple, presumably so absorbed in some topic of conversation—possibly rural electrification—that they didn't discover the lamp had burned dry till the following morning. In fact, it could have been mother who discovered it!

✤ Rev. Anton A. Nelson of Regina, Sask., stopped his car by the side of a road near the town of Summerberry to take a snooze. Unfortunately there had been an attempted burglary and a posse that was out to get the culprits, came upon the car and in mistaken identity fired two shotgun blasts at the rear of car, which woke the reverend gentleman up. He roared away and shook off the posse. Later he was flagged by the Mounties. The fiasco came to an end, and all was forgiven and forgotten.

✤ Restogouche county of New Brunswick is proud to proclaim the fact that they contributed more than ten tons of clothing to the clothing drive for destitue Europe.

✤ How the mighty have fallen: The home which W. G. Mellor is moving into in Shaunavon, Sask., from his farmstead, was once the Merchants Bank at Dollard, Sask., later the Banque d'Hochelaga and later still the Banque Canadian Nationale.

And then there's the story about the school youngster, asked to name the Great Lakes, who replied: "Superior, Michigan, Huron, Erie, Ontario and Veronica."



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GEMS OF THOUGHT

KINDLINESS

The best portion of a good man's life is his little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and love.—Wordsworth.

Kindness in itself is the honey that blunts the sting of unkindness in another.—Landor.

A pure affection, concentric, forgetting self, forgiving wrongs and forestalling them, should swell the lyre of human love.—Mary Baker Eddy.

It is one of the beautiful compensations of life that no man can sincerely try to help another without helping himself.—Bailey.

Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves.—J. M. Barrie.

The one who will be found in trial capable of great acts of love is ever the one who is always doing considerate small ones.—F. W. Robertson.

SURE OF A JOB

A man who gets to work on time, who can find plenty to do without calling in the manager and three assistants, who does not sulk when he has to put in an hour overtime in an emergency, who is naturally courteous to everyone. Apply any time, any place, to an employer.

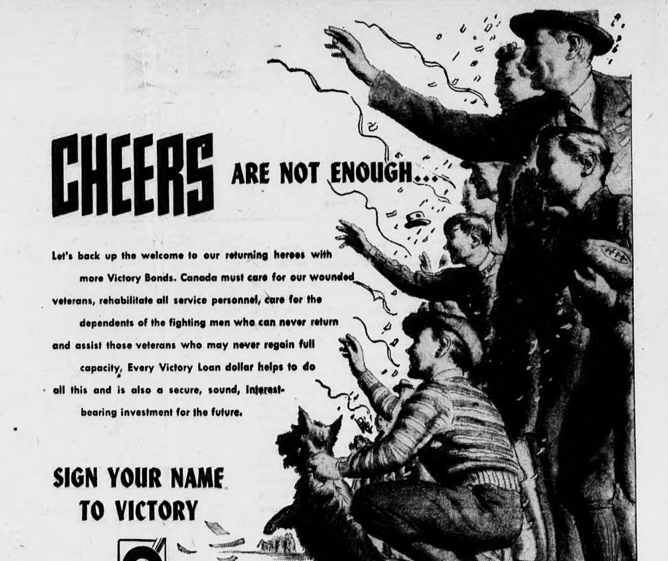
The best sailcloth, once made from long flax because it possesses flexibility, lightness and strength, is now made of nylon.

Concrete Houses

Being Built In England To Speed Up Housing

To speed up housing construction and to save labour a new British structure is being demonstrated at an exhibition of concrete houses near London at Eastcote, Middlesex. Wooden frames and huge moulds for the walls, with the necessary openings for windows, doors, water and gas-pipes, etc., are erected on the site by means of cranes. The concrete is then poured into the moulds resulting in 12-inch thick, weather-proof and heat-retaining walls. The wooden frames and moulds are then removed by the cranes. The front of the house is built of bricks and the roof is prefabricated. It is estimated that the erection can be carried out, to a great extent, by unskilled labour and can be made habitable within a month.

Maine is the only state in the Union that touches only one other state.



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Alberta Pool Elevator

Poor potato crops in Western Canada this eason will not mean Alberta tables will go short, the WPTB says To maintain normal supplies, potatoes will be imported from the United States and sell at Canadian ceiling prices. Lifting restrictions on imports will forestall any potato short-age arising from early September frosts in this province board officials point out.

BIGGER WINGS FOR TCA

It was in 1937 that a Liberal Government established Trans-Canada Airlines, a nationally owned flying system which has with only a $5,000,000 capitalization served Canada handsomely during eight difficult years and won the envious applause of air-transport observers in other countries.

To expand TCA's facilities—within Canada across the grey Atlantic to Britain over the glittering caribbean to Latin America, across the vast Pacific to Australia—the Liberals now propose increasing that capitalization to $25,000,000.

This program has been reecived with mixed reactions by opposition members in the Green Chamber.

Left wingers have pointed out that TCA has given air service superior to any other on the continent, and have acknowledged that Reconstruction Minister Howe who has guided the parliamentary fortune of TCA during the past eight years, can take justifiable credit and pride for the excellent job done by TCA.

HOUSES FOR JACK CANUCK

Canada is not the only country having difficulty building houses. The situation in Australia the United States and Great Birtain is parallel—with tremendous pressure for new new dwellings, and with shortages in materials and man power all along the line.

Nevertheless, Canada actually has produced a surprisingly large number of housing units during 1943, 1944 and thus far in 1945.

Moreover there is every expectation that the Government's goal of 50,000 housing units between June 1945 and June 1946 will be attained.

Of this latter number, Wartime Housing Limited has provided 7,300 low rental houses for discharged members of the Armed Forces while the Veterans' Land Administration has provided another 3,000 units. And these figures grow monthly.

Introducing a government resolution in the Commons to set up the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation with 25,000,000 capitalization, Finance Minister Ilsley said that the government would continue to press vigorously for more and better and cheaper houses.

The new corporation will be empowered to buy mortgages from the lending companies and to resell them to lend to loan and trust companies, and to buy trust company debentures.

The result will be an adeuate flow of mortgage loans in all parts of Canada, with a steady movement in the direction of lower mortgage rates and more suitable terms for both rural and urban areas

CEILING FOR HOUSES .....

By thus widening the bottleneck of financing, the government housing program reduces this handicap. The situation is improving in other ways. There is continued flow of labor into the construction trade and a steady if slow easing in the materials supply.

However the pressure from these two latter conditions has been forcing up the prices of new homes. Finance Minister Ilsley admitted that this problem had been giving the government much anxiety.

Members of the House of Commons accordingly came to the alert when Mr. Isley said that, despite administrative difficulties, it may be necessary for the government to institute some form of control over the prices of new houses. Purchasers of these may be given some of the protection extended to tenants under rental control regulations.

Any machinery for handling such a problem would be complex and hard to manage, but there is no doubt the results would be of great benefit to Canada and every prospective home builder awaits the government's final decision with keen interest.

Curling Club Meets

Annual meeting of the local Curling Club was held in the town office Nov. 6th with a good number of members present.

Slate of officers for the coming year are president, W. Blaney; vice-president. D. McDonald; treasurer, T. C. Brown all elected by acclamation. Newly elected secretary, F. Froggatt, the former club secretary having moved away.

The treasurer's report read by T. C. Brown showed the club had a favorable season last winter and is in good financial condition.

Indications are that the membership will be increased this year to 60 or more. The club is endeavoring to obtain more rocks for use this winter.

The executive and ice committee elected by acclamation for another year are making preparation to have ice ready as soon as possible.

CARD OF THANKS

In this way we would like to thank each one who has been so kind and generous on our return to Gleichen

Ollie Woods and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. C. Evans and family wish to thank their friends for the many kind expressions of sympathy in their recnt sad bereavement.

There will be no service in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday November 11th, as there is to be a Remembrance Day service instead in the Community Hall at 10:15 a.m. sharp.

Next Sunday night at 12 o'clock the annual 11th of November Legion frolic and dance will take place in the Community Hall. This will be the second midnight doings to take place this year. The last time being New Year's eve.

Snow started falling Sunday and all day Monday a snow storm swept the district to make snow drifts two feet deep in places. Tuesday morning the mercury registered five below zero.

Single license plates will be displayed on Alberta motor cars in the new period opening next April 1, according to information received from the provincial secretary's department. The single plate was restored during the past year, after the sticker system was tried out for a year as a war measure Officials say that the new 1946-47 plates have been ordered and they will be available to applicants in good time before April 1. When the old two plate system will be restored is a question, though there are some suggestions that it will come into effect in the 1947-48 period as more steel will be available then for civilian needs.

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